

AND LODGE K. OF H. CLOSES ITS SESSON

Officers Elected for Ensuing Term
Are Prominent Men.

IMPORTANT RESOLUTION

Was to the Citizens of Gainesville
for Their Hospitable Treatment, An-
other to the Woman's Christian
Temperance Union.

Having completed its labor early, the
Grand Lodge, Knights of Honor, con-
cluded its duties here at a late hour
yesterday night with the election of the
following officers of the coming term:
Grand Dictator, J. E. Keller of Pen-
sacola; Grand Vice-Dictator, C. M.
Bingham of Daytona; Grand Assistant
Dictator, T. J. Appleyard of Lake City;
Grand Reporter, A. H. D'Alemberte of
Pensacola; Grand Treasurer, J. S.
Brink of Jasper; Grand Trustees, Jake
Brown of Ocala, J. A. Hanson of Lees-
burg; Julius Ball of Tallahassee.

The following standing committees
were selected:

On laws—T. J. Appleyard of Lake
City; Geo. F. Hallmark of Pensacola;
L. E. Brooks of Pensacola. On fi-
nance—C. F. Zeek, Pensacola; C. M.
Bingham, Daytona; J. E. Johnson,
Jacksonville. On printing—C. M.
Bingham, Daytona; C. F. Zeek, Pen-
sacola, A. H. D'Alemberte, Pensacola.

At the conclusion a resolution of
thanks to the citizens of Gainesville
for their hospitality and kindness was
presented and unanimously passed.

A resolution of fraternal greetings
to the Woman's Christian Temperance
Union, the State Convention of which
is now in session here, was read and
heartily passed. This resolution not
only conveyed an expression of frat-
ernal greeting, but also prayed God's
blessing upon the noble work being
attempted by the order.

The delegates left yesterday for their
various homes, well pleased with the
city and the hospitality extended them
by the members of Alachua Lodge and
the people of Gainesville.

CARD FROM MR. HILL.

Explains His Position, and Why He
Entered Race for Tax Assessor.

To the Citizens of Gainesville:

The city election is now over and I
desire to refute several unjust charges
made against me during the campaign,
that my position may be better known
to those who do not know me.

I wish to deny most emphatically
that I was the candidate of any clique
or combination of interests, whose ob-
ject it was to greatly increase taxable
values in this city. I was encouraged
by, I believe, every city official, and
many prominent business men, to be-
come a candidate for the office of as-
sessor, owing to the fact as they stated
that the city needed some one this
year who would give the duties of that
important office the attention deserved,
and who would get up a complete set
of books for that department, and a
record of all taxable property within
the city limits, at an equitable valua-
tion and in a legal manner. Being a
property owner and deeply interested
in the welfare of our city I decided to
announce my candidacy, and I did so
before the City Council voted to in-
crease the salary for this year to \$600,
statements to the contrary notwith-
standing, and which is really about
one-half of the value of a competent
man's time, under existing conditions.

I have been criticized for opposing
an elderly gentleman—even my
wife censured me. However, I
do not believe I deserve this cen-
sure, for I am frank to say had I not
been lead to believe, by those in posi-
tion to judge, that the former assessor
was not fitted for the office, I would
under no circumstances have announced
my candidacy. However, I announced
my candidacy before he did. That I
had no particular desire to fill the of-
fice is evidenced by the fact that my
campaign, or canvass, consisted only
of an announcement in the paper and a
card to each qualified elector.

That Gainesville needs a more
thorough assessment is evident, when
it is generally known that there is tax-
able property not on the books, and
some property greatly undervalued,
both real and personal. I claim this
is neither just or equitable and I be-
lieve my opinion is concurred in by all
citizens, unless it be by those whose
interests would be affected.

I fully realized that it would be a
difficult matter, and perhaps a very
unpleasant experience, to get all tax-
able property on the books and so
more nearly equalize the values, but

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had I been elected I believe I could
have depended on the good common
sense and better judgment of property
owners have to aided me in the un-
dertaking.

In conclusion: The reason why I
was not elected was because I did not
received enough votes. I wish to say
to those who voted for me, and also to
those who did not, that I have the in-
terest of Gainesville at heart and that
I have only the kindest feeling to-
ward them. Respectfully,
W. L. HILL.

Gainesville, April 11.

Is The Moon Inhabited?

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NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

A. H. D'Alemberte of Pensacola, who
has been in the city attending the
meeting of the Grand Lodge, Knights
of Honor, and who was elected grand
reporter at this meeting just closed,
made The Sun a pleasant call yester-
day morning. Mr. D'Alemberte was
quite favorably impressed with our
city.

T. J. Cone of Raleigh was in the
city on Wednesday, and has been on a
tour of several counties looking for
men to work in his lumber mill. He
said that the labor question was get-
ting very bad, and in all the places he
visited he could not find any men who
would think of leaving home to get
work.

John Q. Tilghman and Stewart Wor-
den of Palatka, prominent manufac-
turers of lumber, sash, doors and
blinds, were registered at the Brown
House yesterday. The former was en-
route to Lukins, where he is interested
in the Tilghman Company, who pur-
chased the big Lukins mill a few
months ago.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Alderman have
gone to St. Augustine, where they
will recuperate for a few days. Friends
of Dr. Alderman, who had the misfor-
tune to break his arm a couple of
weeks ago, will be glad to learn that
his condition is rapidly improving, and
he will be enabled to resume his duties
upon his return.

F. V. Seagle, formerly of this city,
where he was engaged in the hotel
business, but for the past few years a
resident of West Palm Beach, has re-
turned to his home, after a brief visit
to his children here. Friends of Mr.
Seagle were glad to greet him, and to
learn that he is enjoying not only fine
health but a fine business on the East
Coast.

Captain H. O. Parker of LaCrosse, a
progressive merchant and one of the
most widely known residents of his
precinct, was among those who came
to Gainesville on business yesterday.
Captain Parker served his county
faithfully as a member of the school
board for many years, and could be
elected to any office in the county to
which he aspired, but he declares he is
through with "office jobs," as he has
more than he can attend to in his
business. Captain Parker was accom-
panied by his daughter, Miss Bessie.

The Sun was honored yesterday with
a call from Mrs. Rev. J. B. Westcott,
formerly of Smith's Landing, N. J.,
but for the past year residing in Eu-

stis. She was accompanied by her
charming little daughter, Miss Edith.
Mrs. Westcott, who is a guest of Mrs.
W. R. Thomas while here attending
the State convention of the W. C. T.
U. as a delegate, is also a woman of
considerable literary talent, having
been connected in newspaper work
for several years. She is represent-
ing as a correspondent several large
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route to her Northern home, where
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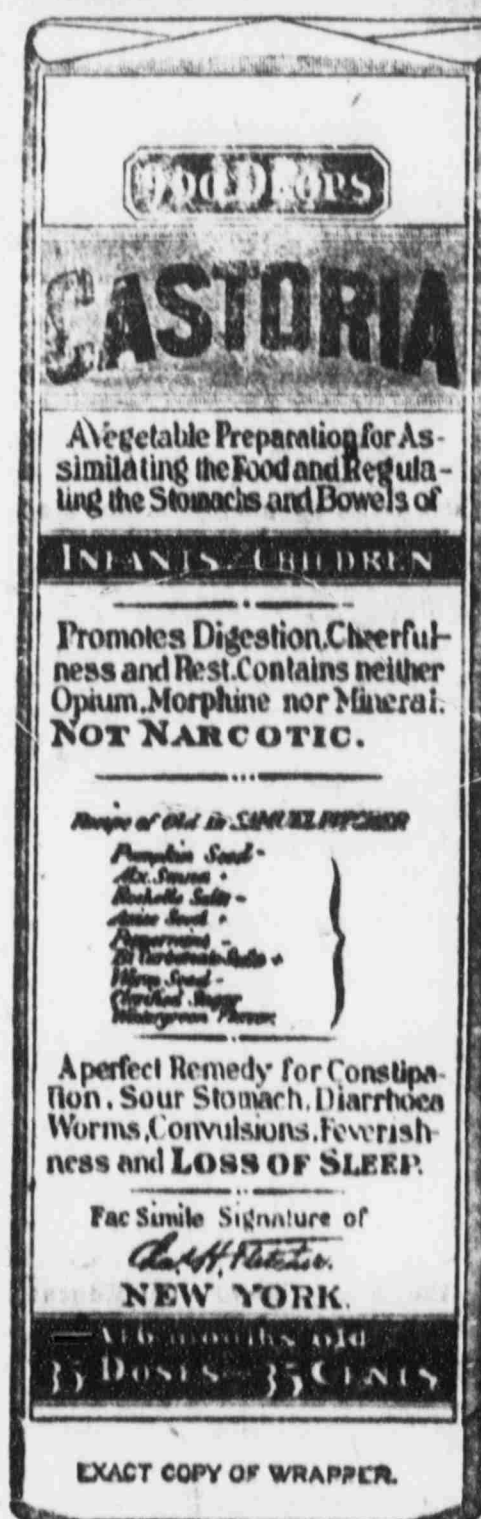
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quality..... 15c

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